

Number, percent distribution, and rate of discharges and days of care, with average length of stay and *standard error* for females with deliveries discharged from short-stay hospitals, by type of delivery, age, and geographic region: United States, 2009

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Age and region	Discharges			Days of care			Average length of stay in days
	Number in thousands	Percent distribution	Rate per 1,000 population \1	Number in thousands	Percent distribution	Rate per 1,000 population \1	
All deliveries							
10-54 years	4,005	100.0	42.5	10,858	100.0	115.3	2.7
10-19 years	419	10.5	20.7	1,118	10.3	55.3	2.7
20-24 years	966	24.1	93.0	2,571	23.7	247.5	2.7
25-29 years	1,098	27.4	104.4	2,941	27.1	279.7	2.7
30-34 years	922	23.0	94.5	2,447	22.5	250.8	2.7
35-39 years	480	12.0	47.2	1,405	12.9	138.2	2.9
40-54 years	119	3.0	3.6	376	3.5	11.4	3.2
All regions	4,005	100.0	42.5	10,858	100.0	115.3	2.7
Northeast	675	16.9	39.6	2,055	18.9	120.4	3.0
Midwest	945	23.6	46.2	2,561	23.6	125.3	2.7
South	1,522	38.0	43.9	4,111	37.9	118.5	2.7
West	*	21.5	*	*	19.6	*	2.5
Vaginal deliveries \2							
10-54 years	2,675	100.0	28.4	6,045	100.0	64.2	2.3
10-19 years	320	12.0	15.8	743	12.3	36.7	2.3
20-24 years	701	26.2	67.5	1,605	26.5	154.5	2.3
25-29 years	751	28.1	71.4	1,731	28.6	164.6	2.3
30-34 years	580	21.7	59.4	1,246	20.6	127.7	2.1
35-39 years	274	10.2	26.9	610	10.1	60.0	2.2
40-54 years	50	1.9	1.5	110	1.8	3.3	2.2
All regions	2,675	100.0	28.4	6,045	100.0	64.2	2.3
Northeast	430	16.1	25.2	1,050	17.4	61.5	2.4
Midwest	647	24.2	31.6	1,453	24.0	71.1	2.2
South	997	37.3	28.7	2,289	37.9	66.0	2.3
West	*	22.5	*	*	20.7	*	2.1
Cesarean deliveries \3							
10-54 years	1,329	100.0	14.1	4,813	100.0	51.1	3.6
10-19 years	98	7.4	4.9	375	7.8	18.6	3.8
20-24 years	265	20.0	25.5	966	20.1	93.0	3.6
25-29 years	347	26.1	33.0	1,210	25.1	115.0	3.5
30-34 years	343	25.8	35.1	1,201	25.0	123.2	3.5
35-39 years	206	15.5	20.3	795	16.5	78.2	3.9
40-54 years	69	5.2	2.1	266	5.5	8.0	3.9
All regions	1,329	100.0	14.1	4,813	100.0	51.1	3.6
Northeast	245	18.4	14.4	1,004	20.9	58.9	4.1
Midwest	298	22.4	14.6	1,108	23.0	54.2	3.7
South	525	39.5	15.1	1,822	37.9	52.5	3.5
West	*	19.6	*	*	18.3	*	3.4

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<i>Standard error</i>							
<i>All deliveries</i>							
10-54 years	464	0.0	4.9	1,225	0.0	13.0	0.05
10-19 years	67	0.8	3.3	174	0.8	8.6	0.08
20-24 years	130	1.1	12.5	337	1.1	32.4	0.07
25-29 years	124	0.7	11.8	331	0.9	31.5	0.06
30-34 years	100	0.9	10.3	264	0.9	27.1	0.06
35-39 years	59	0.7	5.8	176	0.9	17.3	0.12
40-54 years	17	0.3	0.5	65	0.4	2.0	0.25
All regions	464	0.0	4.9	1,225	0.0	13.0	0.05
Northeast	155	3.7	9.1	481	4.1	28.2	0.09
Midwest	195	4.4	9.6	567	4.6	27.8	0.10
South	262	5.4	7.6	705	5.3	20.3	0.08
West	*	6.0	*	*	5.2	*	0.08
<i>Vaginal deliveries \2</i>							
10-54 years	309	0.0	3.3	684	0.0	7.3	0.04
10-19 years	49	0.8	2.4	109	0.9	5.4	0.06
20-24 years	98	1.3	9.4	220	1.3	21.2	0.06
25-29 years	82	0.8	7.8	191	1.0	18.1	0.06
30-34 years	64	0.9	6.6	135	0.9	13.8	0.04
35-39 years	34	0.7	3.4	76	0.7	7.5	0.05
40-54 years	7	0.2	0.2	18	0.3	0.6	0.13
All regions	309	0.0	3.3	684	0.0	7.3	0.04
Northeast	100	3.6	5.8	244	3.8	14.3	0.05
Midwest	129	4.4	6.3	297	4.4	14.6	0.06
South	170	5.3	4.9	405	5.4	11.7	0.07
West	*	6.1	*	*	5.4	*	0.07
<i>Cesarean deliveries \3</i>							
10-54 years	162	0.0	1.7	569	0.0	6.0	0.10
10-19 years	20	1.0	1.0	74	1.1	3.7	0.26
20-24 years	37	1.3	3.6	136	1.3	13.0	0.16
25-29 years	45	1.0	4.3	155	1.2	14.8	0.10
30-34 years	39	1.1	4.0	140	1.1	14.3	0.12
35-39 years	26	1.0	2.6	110	1.5	10.8	0.27
40-54 years	12	0.6	0.4	51	0.8	1.5	0.42

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<i>Northeast</i>	57	4.1	3.3	245	4.6	14.4	0.16
<i>Midwest</i>	72	4.8	3.5	288	5.2	14.1	0.16
<i>South</i>	97	5.8	2.8	317	5.5	9.1	0.17
<i>West</i>	*	5.9	*	*	5.1	*	0.18

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

\1 Rates were calculated using U.S. Census Bureau 2000-based postcensal estimates of the civilian population as of July 1, 2009.

\2 Discharges of females with deliveries except those with cesarean deliveries.

\3 Discharges of females with deliveries with ICD-9-CM procedure codes 74.0-74.2, 74.4, or 74.99.